
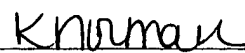


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)			Docket No. CGL00/0146US1
In Re Application Of: FAN ET AL.			
Serial No. 09/739,406	Filing Date December 18, 2000	Examiner Dewitty	Group Art Unit 1616
Invention: CHITOSAN AND METHOD OF PREPARING CHITOSAN			
<p><u>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u></p> <p>This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>6-4-03</u> above-identified application. <i>Date</i></p> <p>The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> One month <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Two months <input type="checkbox"/> Three months <input type="checkbox"/> Four months <input type="checkbox"/> Five months</p> <p>from: <u>June 29, 2003</u> until: <u>August 29, 2003</u> <i>Date</i> <i>Date</i></p> <p>The fee for the extension of time is \$410 and is to be paid as follows:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 502342</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 502342</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 20px;"><div> <i>Signature</i></div><div>Dated: <u>August 19, 2003</u></div></div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 20px;"><div>Lawrence A. Chaletsky, Reg. No. 24,558 08/26/2003 MBERHE 00000131 502342 09739406 02 FC:1252 410.00 DA</div><div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: 300px;"><p>I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on <u>8-20-03</u> with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.</p><p style="text-align: center;"> <i>Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence</i></p><p style="text-align: center;"><u>Kristina Norman</u> <i>Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence</i></p></div></div> <div style="margin-top: 20px;">cc: docketing</div>			

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